

## Message Text

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ACTION CU-03

INFO OCT-01 EA-01 ISO-00 /005 W  
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FM AMEMBASSY CANBERRA  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 2827

UNCLAS CANBERRA 1704

FOR CU/EA.  
EO: 11652: N/A.  
TAGS: OEXC, AS.  
SUB: ASIAN ECONOMISTS PROJECT.

REF: STATE 054781.

1. OUR PRINCIPAL CANDIDATE IS MR. IAN CASTLES, FIRST ASSISTANT SECRETARY IN CHARGE OF ECONOMIC DIVISION, PRIME MINISTER'S DEPT. THIS POSITION IS TWO STEPS BELOW DEPARTMENT SECRETARY OR PERMANENT HEAD. HE IS FORMER TREASURY ATTACHE, LONDON. SPECIALTY IS RESOURCES ALLOCATION PLANNING.
2. CASTLES ANXIOUS TO PARTICIPATE BUT WE MUST AWAIT FORMAL APPROVAL OF HIS DEPARTMENT, WHICH HE HOPES WILL BE FORTHCOMING SHORTLY. IN EVENT HE HAS TO DECLINE WE HAVE TWO OTHER POSSIBILITIES OF SIMILAR OR SLIGHTLY LOWER RANK.  
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